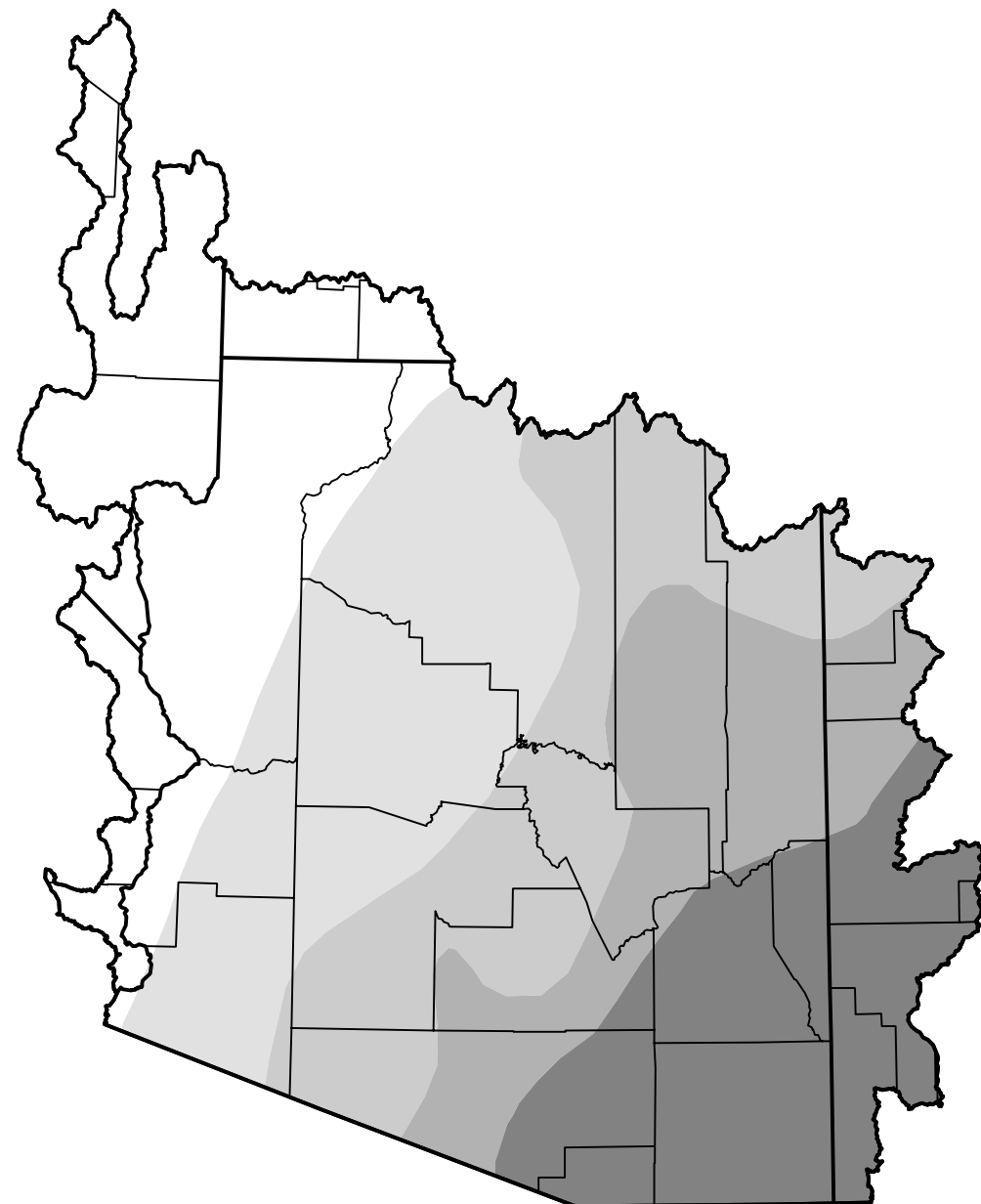


U.S. Drought Monitor

Lower Colorado Watershed



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Drought Conditions (Percent Area)

	None	D0	D1	D2	D3	D4
Current	25.21	22.08	18.62	15.50	18.60	0.00
Last Week <i>05-12-2011</i>	25.21	22.08	18.62	15.50	18.60	0.00
3 Months Ago <i>02-17-2011</i>	36.11	23.17	26.87	13.84	0.00	0.00
Start of Calendar Year <i>01-06-2011</i>	43.99	23.23	32.78	0.00	0.00	0.00
Start of Water Year <i>09-30-2010</i>	40.80	45.20	11.96	2.04	0.00	0.00
One Year Ago <i>05-20-2010</i>	65.07	24.10	8.66	2.16	0.00	0.00

Intensity:

 None	 D2 Severe Drought
 D0 Abnormally Dry	 D3 Extreme Drought
 D1 Moderate Drought	 D4 Exceptional Drought

The Drought Monitor focuses on broad-scale conditions. Local conditions may vary. For more information on the Drought Monitor, go to <https://droughtmonitor.unl.edu/About.aspx>

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